(b) if so, the details thereof and the progress made in the matter?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) Yes, Sir.

(b) The second rail link would be through Munabao-Khokhrapar Check posts. The details are still under finalisation and agreement between the two countries is to be signed.

Cancelling station to station rates for booking of goods

888. SHRI M. KADHARSHA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether it has been clarified to the trading public as to what constitutes due notice for cancelling station to station rates for booking of goods by rail as referred to in para 46 of Indian Railways Act;

(b) whether the Indian Railways are adhering to those instructions;

(c) whether the cancellation of station to station rate would be effective when the instructions regarding cancellation were not received prior to booking of goods either by the concerned stations or by the trade;

(d) whether any claim for refund in this regard has been received; and

(e) if so, the manner in which Government have settled or propose to settle such claims for refund?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA): (a) The Rules provide for giving 14 days notice for enhancement of rates.

(b) Normally such notice is given

(c) The cancellation of a particular station to station rate takes effect from the date indicated in the cancellation order.

(d) A case for refund of undercharges raised at the destination was received in respect of traffic booked at station to station rates.

(e) It has been decided to grant refund in this case.

Public facilities at Jaunpur city Station

889. SHRI KAPIL VERMA: Will the Minister of RAILWAYS be pleased to state:

(a) whether facilities like covered toilet, parcel godown and an upper class waiting room are provided at the Jaunpur city station, Uttar Pradesh, if not, by when they are likely to be provided; and

(b) whether the small platform shed is proposed to be extended for convenience of the travelling public, if so, when?

THE MINISTER OF STATE OF THE MINISTRY OF RAILWAYS (SHRI MADHAVRAO SCINDIA). (a) Open toilet facilities have been provided at Jaunpur city Station. Parcel godown and upper class waiting hall have not been provided at the above station..

The covering of toilet facilities will be completed in the current year. Other facilities will be considered in future Works Programme depending upon the availability of funds and traffic needs as well as relative priorities of various stations on the system.

(a) There is no proposal to extend small platform shed at present.

Adoption of cold chain method for maintaining potency of vaccines

890. SHRI V. NARAYANASAMY: Will the Minister of HEALTH